



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Yuji TAKAHASHI et al.

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For: LIGHT EMITTING APPARATUS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER C.F.R. §1.114**

Sir:

Prior to further examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. No new matter has been amended.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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